

MOTION BY SUPERVISOR YVONNE BRATHWAITE BURKE

February 17, 2004

**EXTENSION OF REWARD FOR NICOLE WILLIAMSON AND RAYNISHA BATES**

On December 9, 2003, the Board of Supervisors approved a reward offer of \$10,000 for information leading up to the arrest and conviction of the person(s) responsible for the shootings of 19-year old Nicole Williamson and her friend Raynisha Bates, which resulted in the death of Nicole Williamson and the hospitalization of Raynisha Bates. The reward offer will expire on March 8, 2004.

On November 29, 2003, at approximately 12:45 a.m., 19-year old Nicole Williamson was shot and killed as she sat outside her family home on Sherman Drive in Carson as she was listening to music with her friend Raynisha Bates. Nicole died in the arms of her father, and Raynisha was hospitalized with multiple gunshot wounds.

The Los Angeles County Sheriffs' detectives are looking for two or three male suspects who were in a dark blue or black 4-door sedan, last seen headed east on 169<sup>th</sup> Street from Ambler, in the City of Carson. They may be possible gang members.

**THEREFORE, I MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS** approve the extension of the \$10,000 reward for any information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person(s) responsible for the shootings of 19-year old Nicole Williamson and her friend Raynisha Bates, which resulted in the death of Nicole Williamson and the hospitalization of Raynisha Bates with multiple gunshot wounds.

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